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8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

	Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.	*Current.*	
Prices of food grains—Boiled rice (2nd sort)	5·40	4·025	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas.
Ragi	11·13	8·77	
Rangoon rice (2nd sort)		4·88	

Agricultural operations.—Weeding in ragi and paddy fields is going on.
Standing crops are fair. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are sufficient.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Markets are fairly well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Weeding operations are going on in parts of Dodballapur, Kankanhalli, Magadi, Channapatna, Anekal, and Closepet Sub-Taluk.

Seeds sown.—Kolshi in parts of Nelamangala, Kankanhalli, Channapatna, Anekal and Devanhalli Taluks. Paddy in parts of Closepet Sub-Taluk and ragi in parts of Devanhalli Taluk.

Standing crops.—Ragi in parts of Hoskote, Dodballapur, Kankanhalli, Magadi, Channapatna, Anekal, Devanhalli and Closepet Sub-Taluk. Pulses in all the taluks, except Bangalore, Nelamangala and Devanhalli Taluks. Paddy in parts of Hoskote, Dodballapur, Nelamangala, Kankanhalli, Channapatna, Anekal, Devanhalli and Closepet Sub-Taluk; Sugar-cane in all the taluks, except Bangalore Taluk. Kolshi in parts of Hoskote, Dodballapur and Kankanhalli Taluks and mulberry in part of Devanhalli and Closepet Sub-Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Nil.

Damages to crops.—Nil.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. There was good rain throughout the district. Food stuffs are available, but the prices continue to be high. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Public health is generally good, except for plague in parts of Bangalore, Hoskote, Magadi, Anekal, Devanhalli and Closepet Sub-Taluk and influenza in parts of Kankanhalli Taluk.

12. Cattle are generally healthy, except for rinderpest in parts of Anekal and Devanhalli Taluks. Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Seeds sown.*—Paddy in parts of the Goribidnur Taluk and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk; and horse gram in parts of the Malur, Sidlaghatta, Chikballapur and Bagepalli Taluks and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk.

Crops harvested and their outturn.—Gidragi in parts of the Bagepalli Taluk and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk, yield 8 to 12 annas.

Standing crops.—Sugar-cane, paddy, jola, gidragi, ragi, avare and togari are reported to be in good condition.

10. Prospects of the season good. Prices of food grains stationary. Labour sufficient for cooly classes.

11. Public health is generally good, except for influenza in parts of the Kolar and Malur Taluks and plague in a village of the Chikballapur Taluk.

12. Cattle healthy, except for rinderpest in parts of the Bagepalli Taluk. Pasture, fodder and water are available.

TUMKUR.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Paddy in parts of Tumkur and Kunigal Taluks; horse gram in parts of Tumkur, Maddagiri, Chiknayakanahalli, Kunigal Taluks and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk; ragi, haraka, blackgram, togari, avare in parts of Turuvekere Sub-Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Til in parts of Tumkur Taluk; yield 8 annas. Nat ragi in parts of Sira and Pavagada Taluks, yield 8 to 12 annas; jola and navane in parts of Koratagere Sub-Taluk and sugar-cane in parts of Turuvekere Sub-Taluk.

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Standing crops.—Paddy, ragi, sugar-cane, groundnut, jola, til, avare, togari, hutchellu, castor, savé, haraka, navane and black and green grams are reported to be in fair condition in 17 parts of the district except in parts of Maddagiri, Chiknaikanhalli, Sira and Kunigal Taluks, where they are reported to be withering for want of rain.

10. *Prospects of the season.*—Good in Tumkur Taluk and Koratagere Sub-Taluk. Fair elsewhere except in Pavagada Taluk and parts of Maddagiri, Sira, Chiknayakanhalli and Kunigal Taluks, where the crops are said to be withering for want of rain.

11. Public health is good in all parts of the district, except for small-pox in parts of Pavagada Taluk and influenza in parts of Kunigal Taluk. The Amildar of Kunigal Taluk reports that he has addressed to the Sub-Assistant Surgeon in the matter of the inspecting the villages infected with influenza.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy throughout the district. Water and fodder are available in all parts of the district, except in Pavagada Taluk and parts of Maddagiri, Sira and Tiptur, where some difficulty is being felt for fodder. Recommendation has been sent to throw open State Forests for free grazing in Pavagada Taluk.

MYSORE.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Paddy, ragi, avare, togari, horse gram, green gram, tadagani, mulberry, cotton, sugar-cane, castor, tobacco, jola, til, coriander, samè, chilli, black gram and haraka; and they are reported to be in good condition.

Crops sown.—Horse gram in parts Nagamangala, Mysore and Malvalli Taluks; black gram, green gram, coriander and Halasandi in parts of Gundlupet Taluk; ragi in parts of Nagamangala Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Ragi in parts of Yedatore and Gundlupet Taluks (yield 8 to 12 annas), Karu paddy in parts of Yedatore and T.-Narsipur Taluks (yield 12 annas); jola in parts of Gundlupet and Nagamangala Taluks (yield 4 to 8 annas) til in parts of Gundlupet and Nagamangala Taluks (yield 8 to 12 annas); sugar-cane in parts of Nagamangala Taluk (yield 12 annas), samé (yield 4 to 8 annas), and coriander (yield 8 to 12 annas) in parts of Gundlupet Taluk

10. Prospects of the season are good.

11. Public health is generally good, except for plague in parts of Chamrajnagar, Seringapatam, Hunsur, Yedatore, Gundlupet, Nanjangud and Malvalli Taluks.

12. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy, except for Doddaroga in parts of Mysore, Seringapatam and Hunsur Taluks and foot and mouth disease in parts of Nagamangala Taluk. Water and fodder are available.

HASSAN.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Seeds sown.*—Kulthi is being sown in parts of Arsikere, Arkalgud and Channarayapatna Taluks and avare in Arkalgud Taluk. Transplantation of paddy and doddaragi is still going on in the taluks of Manjarabad and Hassan respectively.

Standing crops.—The following standing crops are reported to be in good condition. Paddy, ragi and sugar-cane in Hassan, Arkalgud, Channarayapatna, Belur and Hole-Narsipur Taluks; paddy in Manjarabad Taluk and Alur Sub-Taluk; chola and chillies in Arsikere Taluk; castor, kulthi, chillies and coriander in the Channarayapatna Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Giddaragi in the Hassan, Arkalgud, Belur, Hole-Narsipur and Alur Sub-Taluk; sugar-cane in Belur Taluk; til, chola, menthia, green and black grams in the Arsikere Taluk are being harvested. It is reported that castor crop in the Hole-Narsipur Taluk is being damaged by "Kondli" insects.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be good. The standing crops in the Arsikere, Hole-Narsipur and Channarayapatna Taluks are reported to be in need of more rains.

11. Public health is generally good except for plague in a few villages of Hassan, Channarayapatna and Alur Sub-Taluk and fever in parts of Halekote hobli in the Hole-Narsipur Taluk.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy but for Chepperoga in parts of Hole-Narsipur Taluk and Mettrigattu in parts of Manjarabad Taluk. Water and fodder are available. It is reported that difficulty for fodder is felt in parts of Kanakatte hobli in the Arsikere Taluk.

SHIMOGA.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Weeding in the Channagiri Taluk and transplantation of paddy in the taluks of Sorab and Sagar are going on.

Seeds sown.—Horse gram in the taluks of Shimoga and Nagar.

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State of standing crops.—Sugar-cane and paddy in all the taluks; ragi and jola in the taluks of Channagiri, Honnali and Shikarpur, and chillies in the Shikarpur Taluk are reported to be in good condition. "*Koleroga*" is reported to be prevailing in the hoblis of Ulvi and Sorab of Sorab Taluk, Avinahalli of Sagar Taluk, Nagar, Kallurkatte and Lakshmipur of Nagar Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Nil.

10. The prospects of the season are fair. More rain is wanted in all the taluks, except Sagar, Nagar and Tirthahalli.

11. Except for plague at Durvigere and Doddagatta of Channagiri Taluk and in some villages in the Belguttì hobli of Honnali Taluk and at Shiralkoppa of Shikarpur Taluk, and for malarial fever in the Sorab Taluk, the public health is reported to be good. Rats are reported to be falling in the Sorab Town.

12. The cattle are reported to be healthy. Fodder and water are available in all the taluks.

KADUR.

8. The markets were fairly supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Transplantation of paddy is going on in parts of the Narasimharajapur Sub-Taluk.

Crops sown.—Nil.

Standing crops.—Chikmagalur Taluk—Paddy, jolam, til and sugarcane. Kadur Taluk—Sugarcane, jolam, castor, arhar, paddy, ragi, avare, savé, navane coriander, kulthi and garlic. Tarikere Taluk—Paddy, ragi, kulthi, til, green gram, black gram, jolam, and sugar-cane. Koppa Taluk—Paddy, areca, sugar-cane, coffee, cardamom and pepper. Mudgere Taluk—Paddy, sugarcane, ragi coffee and cardamom. Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk—Paddy and sugar-cane.

The standing crops are reported to be in good condition, except for Koleroga to areca crop in parts of the Koppa Taluk and Sringeri Jahagir. "Kotte" is being tied to areca crop in parts of the Koppa Taluk. It is reported that standing crops in parts of the Kadur Taluk have begin to fade for want of rain.

Crops harvested.—Chikmagalur Taluk—Ragi and potatoes, estimated yield 8 annas. Kadur Taluk—Til, green gram, black-gram, jolam and alasandi estimated 8 annas. Koppa Taluk—Cardamom. Sringeri Jahgir—Areca, estimated 8 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stuffs are available. Prices continue to be high. It is reported that rain is wanted in parts of the Tarikere and Kadur Taluks.

11. Except for plague in parts of the Chikmagalur and Mudgere Taluks, public health is generally good.

12. But for Dodda roga in parts of the Koppa Taluk and Sringeri Jahgir and Metre roga in parts of the Mudgere Taluk cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder available. It is reported that in some parts of the Kadur Taluk cattle are being taken for grazing from place to place for want of fodder.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets were adequately supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Ragi, jola, paddy, cotton, horse-gram, togari, til, sajje, castor, groundnut, sugar-cane, navane, avare savé and green-gram are reported to be withering for want of rain. Want of rain is felt everywhere in the district.

Seeds sown.—Horse-gram, navane and cottonin the Holalkere Taluk, savè, horse-gram, navane and cotton in the Davangere Taluk; and navane and horse-gram in the Molakalmuru Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Til and green gram in the Holalkere Taluk (yield 10 annas) and til and jola in the Hosdurga Taluk, (yield 4 and 8 annas respectively.)

10. Prospects of the season fair. Cooly classes are finding sufficient labour. Food stuffs are available, but prices continue high as usual.

11. Public health is generally good, but for plague in the towns of Davangere and Jagalur and in some villages of Davangere Taluk and Harihar Sub-Taluk.

12. Cattle are generally healthy, but for foot and mouth disease in parts of Hosdurga Taluk. Water and fodder are available. Date leaves are being used for fodder in parts of Chitaldrug, Hiriyur and Hosdurga Taluks.

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